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SYSTEM TO OPTIMIZE RECEIVED POWER IN AN OPTICAL

NETWORK

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 March 1, 2005

Sir:

In reply to the Examiner's Non-Final Office Action dated January 4, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to the Specification;
- Remarks/Arguments.